AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

1. (Cancelled)

2. (Previously presented) A method as defined in claim 15, wherein said locating step comprises scanning said medium.

3. (Previously presented) A method as defined in claim 15, wherein said locating step comprises the step of locating said communication mark at a predetermined location on said medium.

4. (Previously presented) A method as defined in claim 15, wherein said locating step comprises locating an address relative to a predetermined mark on said medium.

5. (Previously presented) A method for providing automatic communication addressing comprising the steps of:

receiving at a final addressee destination a document from a sending party from one from the group of a fax and an email communication, and creating a hardcopy of the document;

without adding any address information, scanning the document to obtain at least one communication mark, if one is present, on the hardcopy;

decoding the communication mark to obtain at least a first communication address for a first communication mode and a second communication address for a second different type of communication mode directly or indirectly from said communication mark, wherein said communication addresses are different from that of the final addressee destination;

selecting one of the communication addresses and inputting said selected communication address into an address function of a communication device; and

initiating a communication to said communication address through said communication device.

6. (Cancelled)

7. (Previously presented) A method as defined in claim 5, wherein said communication device comprises at least two different types of communication modes.

8. (Previously presented) A method as defined in claim 5, further comprising the step of adding a communication mark to said information prior to initiating said communication.

9. (Previously presented) A method as defined in claim 5, wherein said communication mark is a bar code.

10. (Previously presented) A method as defined in claim 5, wherein said communication mark is not visible to the unaided human eye.

11. (Previously presented) A method for providing automatic communication addressing comprising the steps of:

receiving a document from one from the group of a fax and an email communication and creating a hardcopy of the document at a final addressee destination;

without adding any address information, scanning the document to obtain at least one communication mark, if one is present, on the hardcopy;

decoding the communication mark to obtain at least one Internet address from said communication mark that is different from the final addressee destination;

automatically accessing a site for the Internet address and retrieving at least one communications address;

inputting said communication address into an address function of a communication device; and

initiating a communication of said information to said communication address through said communication device;

wherein said communication mark is a storage address to a location where an external communication address is stored.

12. (Previously presented) A method as defined in claim 11, further comprising the step of accessing said storage address over a network to obtain said communication address.

13. (Previously presented) A method as defined in claim 11, further comprising the step of accessing a URL address wherein said communication address is located.

14. (Previously presented) A method as defined in claim 5, wherein said communication device is a voice communication device.

15. (Previously presented) A method for providing automatic communication addressing comprising the steps of:

locating a communication mark, if one is present, on a medium containing information at a final addressee destination sent from sending party;

obtaining at least one communication address directly or indirectly from said communication mark, the at least one communication address being different from that of the final addressee destination;

inputting said communication address into an address function of a communication device; and

initiating a communication of said information to said communication address through said communication device;

wherein said communication mark includes a first communication address for a first communication mode, and a second communication address for a second different type of communication mode,

further comprising the steps of

determining if said communication mode for said first communication address is available at said communication device; and

when it is determined that said communication mode for said first communication address is not available at said communication device, sending said second communication address for the second different type of communication mode and said information to the communication device.

16. (Previously presented) A method as defined in claim 5, further comprising the step of storing said address obtained directly or indirectly from said communication mark.

17. (Previously presented) A method as defined in claim 5, further comprising the steps of determining a name of an addressee corresponding to said obtained address; and displaying said addressee name to a user.

18. (Previously presented) A method as defined in claim 5, further comprising the step of adding a new communication mark to said information that includes directly or indirectly a new address to be obtained relative to said obtained at least one address.

19. (Previously presented) A method as defined in claim 5, further comprising the step of adding a communication mark to said information that deletes an address or a reference to an address from said located communication mark.

20. (Previously presented) A system for providing automatic communication addressing comprising:

logic for locating a non-text/image communication mark on a medium containing information and which has been sent to a final addressee destination from a sending party, wherein said communication mark includes a first communication address for a first communication mode, and second communication address for a second different type of communication mode, and wherein the first communication address and the second communication address are different from that of the final addressee destination;

logic for obtaining at least one address directly or indirectly from said communication mark;

logic for inputting said address into an address function of a communication device; and

logic for initiating a communication of said information to said address through said communications device.

21. (Cancelled)

22. (Previously presented) A system for providing automatic communication addressing comprising:

logic for locating a non-text/image communication mark, if one is present, on a medium containing information which has been sent to a final addressee destination from a sending party;

logic for obtaining at least one communication address directly or indirectly from said communication mark, the at least one communication address being different from that of the final addressee destination;

logic for inputting said communication address into an address function of a communication device; and

logic for initiating a communication of said information to said communication address through said communication device;

wherein said communication mark includes a first communication address for a first communication mode, and a second communication address for a second different type of communication mode,

further comprising

logic for determining if said communication mode for said first communication address is available at said communication device; and

logic for, when it is determined that said communication mode for said first communication address is not available at said communication device, sending said second communication address for the second different type of communication mode and said information to the communication device.

23. (Cancelled)

24. (Previously presented) A program product including machine readable program code for causing a machine to perform the following method steps for providing automatic communication addressing:

locating a non-text/image communication mark, if one is present, on a medium containing information which has been sent to a final addressee destination from a sending party;

obtaining at least one communication address directly or indirectly from said communication mark, the at least one communication address being different from that of the final addressee destination;

inputting said communication address into an address function of a communication device; and

initiating a communication of said information to said communication address through said communication device;

wherein said communication mark includes a first communication address for a first communication mode, and a second communication address for a second different type of communication mode,

further comprising the steps of

determining if said communication mode for said first communication address is available at said communication device; and

when it is determined that said communication mode for said first communication address is not available at said communication device, sending said second communication address for the second different type of communication mode and said information to the communication device.

25. (Previously presented) A program product for providing automatic communication addressing, comprising machine-readable program code for causing a machine to perform the following method:

receiving at a final addressee destination a document from a sending party from one from the group of a fax and an email communication and creating a hardcopy of the document;

without adding any address information, scanning the document to obtain at least one non-text/image communication mark, if one is present, on the hardcopy;

decoding the communication mark to obtain at least a first communication address for a first communication mode and a second communication address for a second different type of communication mode directly or indirectly from said communication mark, wherein the first communication address and the second communication address are different from that of the final addressee destination;

selecting one of the communication addresses and inputting said selected communication address into an address function of a communication device; and

initiating a communication of said information to said communication address through said communication device.

26. (Currently Amended) A program product for providing automatic communication addressing, comprising machine-readable program code for causing a machine to perform the following method:

receiving at a final addressee destination a document from a sending party from one from the group of a fax and an email communication and creating a hardcopy of the document;

without adding any address information, scanning the document to obtain at least one communication mark, if one is present, on the hardcopy, ~~wherein the at least one address is different from that of the final addressee destination~~;

decoding the communication mark to obtain at least one Internet address from said communication mark;

automatically accessing a site for the Internet address and retrieving at least one communications address wherein the at least one address is different from that of the final addressee destination;

inputting said communication address into an address function of a communication device; and

initiating a communication of said information to said communication address through said communication device.

27. (Previously presented) A system for providing automatic communication addressing comprising:

logic for receiving at a final addressee destination a document from a sending party from one from the group of a fax and an email communication and creating a hardcopy of the document;

logic for, without adding any address information, scanning the document to obtain at least one non-text/image communication mark, if one is present, on the hardcopy;

logic for decoding the communication mark to obtain at least a first communication address for a first communication mode and a second communication address for a second different type of communication mode directly or indirectly from said communication mark, wherein the first communication address and the second communication address are different from that of the final addressee destination;

logic for selecting one of the communication addresses and inputting said selected communication address into an address function of a communication device; and

logic for initiating a communication of said information to said communication address through said communication device.

28. (Previously Presented) A system for providing automatic communication addressing comprising:

logic for receiving at a final addressee destination a document from a sending party from one of the group of a fax and an email communication and creating a hardcopy of the document;

logic for, without adding any address information, scanning the document to obtain at least one communication mark, if one is present, on the hardcopy;

logic for decoding the communication mark to obtain at least one Internet address from said communication mark;

logic for automatically accessing a site for the Internet address and retrieving at least one communications address, wherein the at least one address is different from that of the final addressee destination;

logic for inputting said communication address into an address function of a communication device; and

logic for initiating a communication of said information to said communication address through said communication device.

29. (Previously Presented) A method as defined in claim 5, wherein said communication device is a facsimile, the document is a fax, and wherein said communication addresses at least include a communication address of the sending party.

30. (Previously Presented) A method as defined in claim 5, wherein the communication mark is a non-text/image communication mark.

31. (Previously Presented) A method as defined in claim 15, wherein said step of obtaining comprise obtaining the at least one Internet address directly from said communication mark.

32. (Previously Presented) A System as defined in claim 20, wherein said logic for obtaining the at least one Internet address obtains the logic directly from said communication mark.

33. (Previously Presented) A program product as defined in claim 24, wherein said step of obtaining the at least one Internet address obtains the at least one internet address directly from said communication mark.